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NJMC Invites Artists to Submit Work for 2008 Flyway Gallery Exhibits

LYNDHURST, N.J. – The New Jersey Meadowlands Commission is currently accepting submissions from local and environmental artists and school groups for consideration as exhibits in the Flyway Gallery in 2008.

"We look forward to another year of cultivating the unique sense of place of the Meadowlands region, where human presence and primitive natural wonders create memorable inspirations for art," said NJMC Commissioner Eleanore S. Nissley.

Residents within the 14-town Meadowlands District are invited to submit digital copies of drawings, paintings, photographs, or mixed-media artwork to be considered for a solo exhibit.

A second invitation is extended to arts faculty of area elementary schools, high schools and colleges to create projects with their students which depict the Meadowlands' urban wetlands, wildlife, and people.

Residents and educators can contact NJMC Senior Creative Services Coordinator Mimi Sabatino at (201) 460-2003 or mimi.sabatino@njmeadowlands.gov.

The Flyway Gallery was founded by the New Jersey Meadowlands Commission to encourage public participation in the arts. Located in the center of the 110-acre DeKorte Park in Lyndhurst, the gallery provides a venue for artists to display their work, offers space for receptions, and sponsors photography and other themed contests.

The Flyway Gallery is open to the public from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

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